



DIGEST OF HB 1383 (Updated February 11, 2013 11:57 am - DI 77)

Citations Affected: Noncode.

Synopsis: Practice of polysomnography. Urges the legislative council to assign a summer study committee to study topics related to the practice of polysomnography.

Effective: July 1, 2013.

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January 22, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Health. February 11, 2013, amended, reported — Do Pass.

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HOUSE BILL No. 1383

A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning professions and occupations.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. [EF	FECTIVE JULY	1, 2013] (a)	As used in this
SECTION, "practic	e of polysomnogr	aphy" means	performing any
of the following task	s, under the gen	eral supervis	ion of a licensed
physician:			

- (1) Monitoring, recording, and evaluating physiologic data during the evaluation of sleep related disorders, including sleep related respiratory disturbances, by applying the following techniques, equipment, and procedures:
 - (A) Noninvasive continuous, bi-level positive airway pressure, or adaptive servo ventilation titration on spontaneously breathing patients using an oral or nasal interface, if the oral or nasal interface does not extend into the trachea or attach to an artificial airway.
 - (B) Supplemental low flow oxygen therapy of less than six (6) liters per minute, using a nasal cannula or incorporated into a positive airway pressure device during a polysomnogram.

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1	(C) Capnography during a polysomnogram.
2	(D) Cardiopulmonary resuscitation.
3	(E) Pulse oximetry.
4	(F) Gastroesophageal pH monitoring.
5	(G) Esophageal pressure monitoring.
6	(H) Sleep stage recording using surface
7	electroencephalography, surface electrooculography, and
8	surface submental electromyography.
9	(I) Surface electromyography.
10	(J) Electrocardiography.
11	(K) Respiratory effort monitoring, including thoracic and
12	abdominal movement.
13	(L) Plethysmography blood flow monitoring.
14	(M) Snore monitoring.
15	(N) Audio and video monitoring.
16	(O) Body movement monitoring.
17	(P) Nocturnal penile tumescence monitoring.
18	(Q) Nasal and oral airflow monitoring.
19	(R) Body temperature monitoring.
20	(S) Monitoring the effects that a mask or oral appliance
21	used to treat sleep disorders has on sleep patterns, if the
22	mask or oral appliance does not extend into the trachea or
23	attach to an artificial airway.
24	(2) Observing and monitoring physical signs and symptoms,
25	general behavior, and general physical response to
26	polysomnographic evaluation and determining whether
27	initiation, modification, or discontinuation of a treatment
28	regimen is warranted.
29	(3) Analyzing and scoring data collected during the
30	monitoring described in subdivisions (1) and (2) for the
31	purpose of assisting a licensed physician in the diagnosis and
32	treatment of sleep and wake disorders that result from
33	developmental defects, the aging process, physical injury,
34	disease, or actual or anticipated somatic dysfunction.
35	(4) Implementation of a written or verbal order from a
36	licensed physician to perform polysomnography.
37	(5) Education of a patient regarding the treatment regimen
38	that assists the patient in improving the patient's sleep.
39	(b) The term includes the use of any oral appliance used to treat
40	sleep disordered breathing while under the care of a licensed
41	polysomnographic technologist during the performance of a sleep
42	study under the direction of a licensed dentist.





(2) establish an interim study committee; to study topics related to the practice of polysomnography, including appropriate credentials for polysomnographic technologists and appropriate facility settings for the practice of	
polysomnography. (d) The committee shall operate under the policies and rules governing study committees adopted by the legislative council. (e) This SECTION expires December 1, 2013.	



COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health, to which was referred House Bill 1383, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Delete the title and insert the following:

A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning professions and occupations.

Page 1, delete lines 1 through 17.

Delete pages 2 through 9.

Page 10, delete lines 1 through 29.

Page 10, line 30, delete "Sec. 8. (a) "Practice" and insert "SECTION 1. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2013] (a) As used in this SECTION, "practice".

Page 12, delete lines 4 through 42, begin a new paragraph and insert:

- "(c) The legislative council is urged to:
 - (1) assign an interim or statutory study committee; or
- (2) establish an interim study committee; to study topics related to the practice of polysomnography,

including appropriate credentials for polysomnographic technologists and appropriate facility settings for the practice of polysomnography.

- (d) The committee shall operate under the policies and rules governing study committees adopted by the legislative council.
 - (e) This SECTION expires December 1, 2013.".

Delete pages 13 through 20.

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to HB 1383 as introduced.)

CLERE, Chair

Committee Vote: yeas 13, nays 0.

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